

Returns From Inspection Trip.
Manley Stockton, student assistant in the agricultural experiment station, returned to Columbia last night from an inspection trip of the orchards in Southern Missouri. Mr. Stockton is working under the direc-

tion of C. C. Wiggins of the department of horticulture.

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SPORT

NEWS and COMMENT

LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	PC.	Win	Loss
				To-day	To-day
Brooklyn	72	44	.621	.624	.615
Boston	68	45	.605	.600	.600
Philadelphia	67	49	.578	.581	.573
New York	56	58	.491	.496	.487
Pittsburgh	54	64	.458	.462	.454
St. Louis	55	67	.451	.455	.447
Chicago	54	68	.443	.447	.439
Cincinnati	46	78	.371	.376	.368

American League.

	W.	L.	PC.	Win	Loss
				To-day	To-day
Boston	71	51	.582	.585	.577
Detroit	69	57	.548	.551	.543
Chicago	68	57	.544	.548	.540
St. Louis	68	58	.540	.543	.536
Cleveland	67	59	.532	.536	.528
New York	66	58	.532	.536	.528
Washington	59	62	.488	.492	.484
Philadelphia	27	93	.225	.231	.223

GAMES TODAY

	National League.
Chicago at St. Louis.	
Boston at Pittsburgh.	
	American League.
St. Louis at Boston.	
Cleveland at Washington.	
Detroit at New York.	
Chicago at Philadelphia.	

Browns Will Play at Sedalia Sunday.

The Browns will journey to Sedalia Sunday to meet the Sedalia team. Two games are scheduled, one on Sunday and another on Labor Day. Sedalia has a strong team this season, having defeated most of the teams in this section.

Slusher, who was a Tiger outfielder last spring, is to meet the team in Sedalia and will cover first base for the Browns in one of the games and probably play in the outfield the other game. Manager Taylor will pitch one game and hold down first station in the other. Burnett, the Ashland southpaw, who shut out the Wabash All-Stars last Sunday with one hit, will be on the mound for the Browns in one of the contests.

The other players who will be taken along for the two days' stay in Sedalia are: Winegar, catcher; Foster, second base; Vogt, outfielder; Dipold, outfielder; Davis, third base; Lagon, shortstop; Rutledge, outfielder; Roberts, sub; Lansing, catcher.

Even though the Browns will be in Sedalia over the week-end, Columbia fans will not be entirely without baseball Sunday. The Hamilton-Brown team will on that afternoon meet the Wilton Blues. We won't make any predictions as to the strength of the two teams.

Connie Mack, serene in victory or defeat, declares he will have something of a ball club when the 1917 season opens. And, it is certain Mack has picked up some valuable men in Myers, Nabors and Witt.

At least five members of the old world's champion Athletics have helped put clubs in the National and American Leagues in the race this year.

Freddie Welsh has nothing but praise for Benny Leonard since his last meeting with the New York star. He says he has a wholesome respect for Leonard's ability. A page from history reveals the reason. Benny once made the champion look like a novice.

This Player's Life A Regular Romance.

The story of Carson Bigbee of the Tacoma Northwestern League team, who was recently bought by the Pirates, reads like a romance. Finishing four years of ball-playing at the University of Oregon last year, he was signed by the Portland Coast League team during the winter.

McCredie did not think he was ready for double-A ball and sent him to Tacoma under an optional agreement. Meanwhile the Northwest League decided that no outside club should be permitted to have strings on their players, so Bigbee was lost to Portland.

The "Ty Cobb of the Northwest," the title earned by this young player in his brief minor league career, was heard of by Eastern scouts and wires were at once laid for his purchase. He was hitting around .360, leading the league in stolen bases and catching everything within a mile of center field, so the bidding was lively.

Pittsburgh finally landed the player, paying several thousands, of which the Portland club, who was expecting to hold and develop him, received not a cent.

Playing his last game with McGinnity's Tigers on August 20, Bigbee boarded a Pullman early the next morning for Pittsburgh. He arrived there on the morning of the twenty-fourth, after 72 hours on the train and, because Schulte was laid up, was shoved into the line-up that afternoon.

Bigbee couldn't find his regular baseball shoes and had never played a sunfield, but with all these difficulties, he caught five hard flies that afternoon, two of which he lost in the sun but recovered because of his phenomenal speed. Also he knocked out a triple and a single and walked once out of five times up. And, just to prove his right to the title of the "Ty Cobb of the Northwest," he scored all the way from first on a single

to left field and raced from first to third on a punt.

Since then he has hit around .300 and has seemingly earned himself a place as a regular, with only a few months' minor league experience. Whether he will be the "Ty Cobb of the National League" remains to be seen.

New York American League fans are asking why Manager Donovan doesn't give Charley Mullen a regular berth. Mullen has been one of the most dependable players on the club this year. His pinch hitting has been remarkable.

Fleider Jones' Browns have the best stealing trio in the country to lead off the batting order. Shotton and Sisler are two of the fastest men the game has ever known.

Owner Ebbetts declares if his Dodgers win the National League pennant he will provide 40,000 seats for world's series patrons at Ebbetts Field.

Miss Fannie Durack and Miss Nina Wylie, Australia's foremost lady-fish, are going to visit the United States this fall and try to take home some swimming victories.

"Gettysburg Veteran" 41 Years Old Today.

Eddie Plank, "Gettysburg Veteran," hero of many a world's series battle, is 41 years old today. The southpaw master, several times relegated to the scrap heap by fans and sporting writers and once by Connie Mack, is still in the game, and the present season promises to be one of the best in his long career.

Early this month Plank allowed only seven hits in three games, winning every one of them. And it was his former teammates, the Athletics, who broke his winning streak on Aug. 18, in a tight pitching battle. Plank left Gettysburg College to become a member of the Athletics in 1901. Hence this is his sixteenth year as a big league hurler. He helped the Athletics to pennants in 1902, 1905, 1910, 1911, 1913 and 1914.

When Connie Mack began the dismemberment of his famous team early in 1915, among the first to go were Jack Coombs and Eddie Plank, and both of them went by the unconditional release route. Coombs caught on with Brooklyn and has done good work recently pitching a one-hit game against the Cubs. Plank signed with the Federal League and was sent to St. Louis. He did noble work for the Reds and this year Fleider Jones kept him.

Plank declares he has never had a sore arm, because he has made pitching a study.

"When I quit the game," he said, "it will be because I'm tired of it. I thing in five more years I'll be ready to stay at home."

That would make him forty-five when he quits.

"Pitching is a job," he said. "It must be studied by the pitcher. He must study the other fellow, the batter, and learn what he cannot hit. I never have any trouble with the great batters, with the exception of Cobb. You can't fool Cobb. He will hit almost anything."

Plank declares he never curves a ball in spring training until at least a week has passed, and attributes the long service of his arm to that fact.

Joe Gedeon, who has been playing second base for the Yankees, and who looked like a world-beater in the early weeks, now looks like a fliver. His departure from the American league is expected soon.

Leo Fohl has oodles of confidence in his young pitchers. He declares he never saw two better looking youngsters than Gould and Lambeth.

Bobby Roth, besides being a demon slugger, isn't exactly like the rest of the ball players, according to statements made by several American League athletes. One of them sized it up like this: "He's a great hitter because he don't fear no human." And to this trait the ball players attribute his playful act in heaving a pop bot-

tle into the stands recently in St. Louis.

Mike Gibbons wants to fight again. In fact, Mike wants to fight so bad he has given out the news that unless Les Darcy comes to the United States he, Mike, will journey to Australia to battle out the World's middle-weight argument.

Boxing bugs must shove just \$20,000 over the counter at Cedar Point, O., on Labor Day if promoters of the Kilbane-Chaney featherweight championship fight are to make any money.

For Once, the "Dope Artist" Was Correct.

The following clipping should be of interest to local fans. A similar play came up here two or three weeks ago in a game between the Browns and Higbee. The catcher dropped the third strike, but the batter, not noticing, started toward the bench, but later, waking up, started for first. When the catcher threw wild to first, he made that base in safety, as the writer claimed, but the umpire and fans ruled otherwise and wrongly as the clipping shows.

CALLENDER, Ia.—(Editor of the Chicago Tribune.)—The first batter up strikes out. The catcher misses the third strike. The batter does not run to first base and is not touched with the ball. Ball was not put to first base, but the umpire called him out for not running. Was he right or wrong?

J. O'CONNOR.
Wrong. Batsman is not out unless put out in that case.

Invasion of West Is Not a Walkover.

The invasion by the four leading Eastern clubs of the Western cities during the past two weeks has not been such a walkover as the National League pennant chasers expected. With one game to play,—the one between now and October,—and it is the East has a margin of three games in the inter-sectional series.

The changed form of the Cardinals was the biggest upsetting factor. Huggin's men took every series from the Eastern clubs with the exception of Brooklyn which won the series, one to two.

Pittsburgh also proved a stumbling block by taking four out of five from the champion Phillies. In fact this series came near putting Moran's team out of the race, for they must make up more than five games between now and October,—an dit is doubtful if Alexander can do it. Here is the record of the inter-sectional series including the one game today:

	W.	L.	PC.
East on the Road			
Boston	10	5	.667
Brooklyn	9	6	.600
Philadelphia	6	7	.462
New York	4	8	.333
West at Home.			
St. Louis	29	26	.527
	W.	L.	PC.
St. Louis	8	3	.727
Pittsburgh	8	9	.471
Chicago	7	8	.467
Cincinnati	3	9	.250
West	26	29	.473

Today the Cubs come down to St. Louis to open a four game series to decide, temporarily, who shall occupy sixth place. The Eastern clubs are idle with the exception of Boston, who wind up a seven-game series in Pirate-town.

Brooklyn and Philadelphia open in a four game bout in the Quaker City tomorrow, the result of which will largely determine the chances of the Phillies in the impending struggle. Alexander will probably be used in two of the games, the opener tomorrow and one of the Labor Day games. Moran must win three games to keep in the race.

Meanwhile Boston will be playing at home against the demoralized Giants and should gain on the other contestants. Philadelphia then comes to Boston for four games while the Su-

perbas are meeting the Giants at the Polo grounds.

Then will come the third crucial series and probably the one that will go far toward deciding the National League world's series entrant. The Braves have won 12 out of 18 so far from the Superbas and on the home grounds should clean up the last four games, according to the dope.

Brooklyn then goes home for the rest of the season, meeting each of the six other clubs until the close of the season on Oct. 5. The Braves will be on the road the last week of the season, which may decide the winner.

BALANCING THE FEED RATION

To Get Best Results Poultry Must Be Fed Carefully.

An egg is made in three principal parts, namely, the yolk, white and shell. The yolk is made principally of fat-forming foods, the white of protein or nitrogen, and the shell of minerals, principally lime.

In order for a ration to be balanced it should contain elements which would make an equal number of yolks, whites and shells.

The following table shows some of the common poultry foods and their value per 100 pounds, in terms of yolks and whites. The shells are not given for an abundant supply of crushed lime rock or oyster shell should be supplied at all times.

FEED	YOLKS	WHITES
Corn	255	134
Wheat	243	182
Oats	195	155
Beef Scraps	106	1107
Green Clover	54	48
Clover Hay	132	113
Green Alfalfa	46	67
Alfalfa Hay	140	180
Skimmed Milk	22	52
Wheat Bran	155	205
Middlings	205	220
O. P. Oil Meal	160	500

A ration properly balanced.		
100 lbs. corn	255	132
100 lbs. wheat	243	182
20 lbs. pats	39	31
20 lbs. bran	31	41
20 lbs. shorts	41	44
20 lbs. corn meal	50	27
20 lbs. beef scraps	21	221
	680	680

Other rations may be balanced in the same way, always using the feed raised or easiest obtained as a base and filling in with other feeds to make the ration balance.

Water should be before the birds at all times.

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